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SUBJECT: MEETING ON GEOSYNCHRONIC SPACE SATELLITES

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1. ACCORDING TO A SENIOR FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL AND THE  
COLOMBIAN PRESS, THE GOVERNMENT OF COLOMBIA IS HOSTING A MEETING  
OF COMMUNICATIONS' EXPERTS FROM THE EQUATORIA COUNTRIES FROM  
NOVEMBER 19 THROUGH DECEMBER 4 ON THE SUBJECT OF GEOSYNCHRONIC  
SPACE SATELLITES. COUNTRIES FROM WHICH DELEGATIONS WERE  
EXPECTED ARE BRAZIL, CONGO, ECUADOR, GABON, INDONESIA,  
KENYA, SOMALIA, UGANDA AND ZAIRE.

1. THE FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL STATED THAT COLOMBIA INVITED  
THE DELEGATIONS IN ORDER TO EXPLAIN, AND TO SEEK THEIR COUNTRIES'  
SUPPORT FOR, COLOMBIA'S POSITION ON GEOSYNCHRONIC ORBIT  
SOVEREIGNTY.

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3. COMMENT: COLOMBIAN FOREIGN MINISTER LIEVANO'S ADVANCEMENT  
AT THE 30TH AND 31ST UNGA OF COLOMBIA'S THESIS OF NATIONAL  
SOVEREIGNTY OVER THE GEOSYNCHRONIC SPACE ORBIT, AND THIS  
LATEST INITIATIVE, WOULD SEEM TO INDICATE THAT COLOMBIA  
IS SEEKING TO ESTABLISH A LEADERSHIP ROLE FOR ITSELF ON THIS  
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